

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: MUSSER et al.

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Title: VACCINES CONTAINING CYSTEINE
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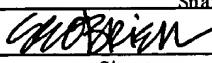
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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby submit for filing the following in connection with the above-referenced application:

1. Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner;
2. Request for Extension of Time; and
3. Return Postcard.

Applicants believe that there is a fee of \$435.00 for the three-month extension. If Applicants are in error, any additional fee or credit may be charged to the Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account, No. 06-2375, under order No. 09507112, from which the undersigned is authorized to draw. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached for accounting purposes.

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